

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**  
**MAR 11 2005**

\*\*\*\*\* FACSIMILE COVER SHEET \*\*\*\*\*

MAR 11 2005 17:22

Message To:

917038729306

Message From:

BTU IPLAW

06

Pages

Follow This Cover Page

MAR 11 2005

Serial Number\_10/065,963

In re application of:  
Michael James LercelBefore the Examiner:  
Mohamedulla, Saleha R.

Serial No.: 10/065,963

Group Art Unit: 1756

Filed: 12/04/2002

Confirmation No.: 2539

Title: PATTERN COMPENSATION  
TECHNIQUES FOR CHARGED  
PARTICLE LITHOGRAPHIC MASKSIntellectual Property Law Department  
International Business Machines Corporation  
1000 River Street, Internal Zip 972E  
Essex Junction, VT 05452

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR FAXING

I, hereby, certify that on 03/11/2005 this correspondence is being sent by:☐ Mail - deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.☒ Facsimile - transmitted by facsimile to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at 703-872-9306.Name: C. MUELLERSignature: [Signature]Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Responsive to the Office Action of 11/12/2004, the period of response thereto set to expire on 02/12/2005, with a one month extension to 03/12/2005, reconsideration of the action and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested, and are believed to be appropriate in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please charge any fees that may be incurred to the deposit account 09-0456.

BUR920020024US1